

Because children will always have the urge to explore, we must redouble our efforts to emphasize proper use and storage of products which are potentially hazardous.

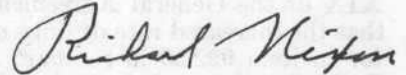
36 USC 165.

To focus attention on the dangers of accidental poisoning, the Congress in a joint resolution of September 26, 1961 (75 Stat. 681), requested the President to issue annually a proclamation designating the third week in March as National Poison Prevention Week.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD NIXON, President of the United States of America, do hereby designate the week beginning March 15, 1970, as National Poison Prevention Week.

I direct the appropriate agencies of the Federal Government, and I invite State and local governments and organizations, to participate actively in programs designed to promote better protection against accidental poisonings, particularly as they relate to young children.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this twentieth day of January, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and ninety-fourth.



Proclamation 3955

NATIONAL SAFE BOATING WEEK, 1970

January 21, 1970

By the President of the United States of America

A Proclamation

The pleasures of boating are known to many. Unfortunately, the potential hazards of boating are not so well known. As thousands of our fellow citizens take to the already-crowded waters each year, the potential danger to themselves—and to those who have enjoyed this pastime for many years—becomes increasingly apparent. Boating is and should be enjoyable, but it will remain that way only if the safety of all those engaged in boating is insured by knowledge and practice of boating safety rules.

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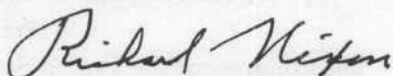
Recognizing the need for emphasis on boating safety, the Congress, by a joint resolution approved June 4, 1958 (72 Stat. 179), has requested that the President proclaim annually the week which includes July 4 as National Safe Boating Week.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD NIXON, President of the United States of America, do hereby designate the week beginning June 28, 1970, as National Safe Boating Week.

The theme for National Safe Boating Week 1970 reminds us, "Safe Boating Is No Accident." As insurance against accidents, I urge the American boatmen to take advantage of the numerous courses available in boating safety.

I also invite the Governors of the States and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and appropriate officials of all other areas under the United States flag to provide for the observance of this week. And to the many fine organizations who will voluntarily give of their time during this year's observance, I offer my appreciation in advance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 21st day of January in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and seventy, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and ninety-fourth.



Proclamation 3956

CENTENNIAL OF THE UNITED STATES WEATHER SERVICES

By the President of the United States of America

January 27, 1970

A Proclamation

On February 9, 1870, President Ulysses S. Grant approved a joint resolution of Congress (16 Stat. 369) providing for meteorological observations and for giving notice of the approach and force of storms.

In the hundred years which have intervened, meteorology and kindred atmospheric sciences have undergone phenomenal development through the skill, ingenuity, and dedication of civilian and military scientists, meteorologists, weather observers and many others serving on land, at sea, and in the air, in peace and in war. Their efforts have been aided through unswerving cooperation by the press and the radio and television industries.

This cooperation has resulted in weather services which touch almost every American life and which provide tremendous benefits in the protection of life and property, assistance to many facets of the national economy, and daily contributions to the public welfare and convenience.

Today, the United States is working diligently with many other nations toward a World Weather Watch which, through increased understanding and use of our environmental resources, will provide vastly improved weather services for the entire world.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD NIXON, President of the United States of America, do hereby proclaim the month of February 1970, as United States Weather Services Month; and I urge our institutions and organizations, public and private, and our citizens, to recognize the achievements of the past century and to offer appropriate appreciation and support for this vital national function on the occasion of its centennial anniversary.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 27th day of January, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and ninety-fourth.

